

KANSAS ORNITHOLOGICAL SOCIETY BIRDS OF KANSAS

Date _____ Time _____
 Locality _____
 Sky _____ Wind _____ Temp _____ Ground _____
 Observers _____
 Total Species _____ Total Individuals _____

[] Hypothetical species * Fewer than ten records

WAXWINGS

- _____ Bohemian Waxwing
- _____ Cedar Waxwing

SILKY-FLYCATCHERS

- _____ Phainopepla*

OLD WORLD SPARROWS

- _____ House Sparrow

PIPITS

- _____ American Pipit
- _____ Sprague's Pipit

FINCHES

- _____ Brambling*
- _____ Evening Grosbeak
- _____ Pine Grosbeak
- _____ [Gray-crowned Rosy-Finch]*
- _____ House Finch
- _____ Purple Finch
- _____ Cassin's Finch
- _____ Common Redpoll
- _____ Red Crossbill
- _____ White-winged Crossbill
- _____ Pine Siskin
- _____ Lesser Goldfinch
- _____ American Goldfinch

LONGSPURS

- _____ Lapland Longspur
- _____ Chestnut-collared Longspur
- _____ Smith's Longspur
- _____ McCown's Longspur
- _____ Snow Bunting

SPARROWS

- _____ Cassin's Sparrow
- _____ Bachman's Sparrow*
- _____ Grasshopper Sparrow
- _____ Black-throated Sparrow
- _____ Lark Sparrow
- _____ Lark Bunting
- _____ Chipping Sparrow
- _____ Clay-colored Sparrow
- _____ Field Sparrow
- _____ Brewer's Sparrow
- _____ Fox Sparrow
- _____ American Tree Sparrow
- _____ Dark-eyed Junco
- _____ White-crowned Sparrow
- _____ Golden-crowned Sparrow
- _____ Harris's Sparrow
- _____ White-throated Sparrow
- _____ Sagebrush Sparrow*
- _____ Vesper Sparrow
- _____ LeConte's Sparrow
- _____ Nelson's Sparrow
- _____ Baird's Sparrow
- _____ Henslow's Sparrow
- _____ Savannah Sparrow

- _____ Song Sparrow
- _____ Lincoln's Sparrow
- _____ Swamp Sparrow
- _____ Canyon Towhee*
- _____ Rufous-crowned Sparrow
- _____ Green-tailed Towhee
- _____ Spotted Towhee
- _____ Eastern Towhee

CHATS

- _____ Yellow-breasted Chat

BLACKBIRDS, ORIOLES

- _____ Yellow-headed Blackbird
- _____ Bobolink
- _____ Eastern Meadowlark
- _____ Western Meadowlark
- _____ Orchard Oriole
- _____ Hooded Oriole*
- _____ Bullock's Oriole
- _____ Baltimore Oriole
- _____ Scott's Oriole*
- _____ Red-winged Blackbird
- _____ Bronzed Cowbird*
- _____ Brown-headed Cowbird
- _____ Rusty Blackbird
- _____ Brewer's Blackbird
- _____ Common Grackle
- _____ Great-tailed Grackle

WARBLERS

- _____ Ovenbird
- _____ Worm-eating Warbler
- _____ Louisiana Waterthrush
- _____ Northern Waterthrush
- _____ Golden-winged Warbler
- _____ Blue-winged Warbler
- _____ Black-and-white Warbler
- _____ Prothonotary Warbler
- _____ Swainson's Warbler*
- _____ Tennessee Warbler
- _____ Orange-crowned Warbler
- _____ Nashville Warbler
- _____ Virginia's Warbler
- _____ Connecticut Warbler
- _____ MacGillivray's Warbler
- _____ Mourning Warbler
- _____ Kentucky Warbler
- _____ Common Yellowthroat
- _____ Hooded Warbler
- _____ American Redstart
- _____ Cape May Warbler
- _____ Cerulean Warbler
- _____ Northern Parula
- _____ Magnolia Warbler
- _____ Bay-breasted Warbler
- _____ Blackburnian Warbler
- _____ Yellow Warbler
- _____ Chestnut-sided Warbler
- _____ Blackpoll Warbler
- _____ Black-throated Blue Warbler

- _____ Palm Warbler
- _____ Pine Warbler
- _____ Yellow-rumped Warbler
- _____ Yellow-throated Warbler
- _____ Prairie Warbler
- _____ Black-throated Gray Warbler
- _____ Townsend's Warbler
- _____ Hermit Warbler*
- _____ Black-throated Green Warbler
- _____ Canada Warbler
- _____ Wilson's Warbler
- _____ Painted Redstart*

GROSBEAKS, BUNTINGS

- _____ Hepatic Tanager*
- _____ Summer Tanager
- _____ Scarlet Tanager
- _____ Western Tanager
- _____ Northern Cardinal
- _____ Pyrrhuloxia*
- _____ Rose-breasted Grosbeak
- _____ Black-headed Grosbeak
- _____ Blue Grosbeak
- _____ Lazuli Bunting
- _____ Indigo Bunting
- _____ Painted Bunting
- _____ Dickcissel

The taxonomic sequence and nomenclature used in this list follow the *Checklist of North American Birds*, 7th edition, American Ornithologists' Union, 1998, updated through the 59th Supplement, 2018, (*The Auk: Ornithological Advances* 135:798-813, 2018).

Of the 482 species documented to have occurred in Kansas as of March 2020, four species are not included in this list because they no longer occur in the state. The Passenger Pigeon and Carolina Parakeet are extinct, the Eskimo Curlew is probably extinct and the Gunnison Sage-Grouse has been extirpated from the state. Twelve species on the list, although convincingly documented, records have yet to be substantiated with physical evidence and are therefore designated as hypothetical and listed in square brackets ([]). Birds so noted, or those noted with this symbol (*) indicating less than ten confirmed records, or species not on this checklist, should be reported to the Kansas Bird Records Committee (KBRC). Physical evidence, such as recognizable photographs, video or audio recordings, is highly desirable. The procedure for reporting birds to the KBRC can be found at https://www.ksbirds.org/kos/kos_kbrc.htm.

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Notes: _____

WHISTLING-DUCKS

- _____ Black-bellied Whistling-Duck
- _____ Fulvous Whistling-Duck

GEESE, SWANS

- _____ Snow Goose
- _____ Ross's Goose
- _____ Greater White-fronted Goose
- _____ [Taiga/Tundra Bean Goose]*
- _____ Brant
- _____ Cackling Goose
- _____ Canada Goose
- _____ Trumpeter Swan
- _____ Tundra Swan

DUCKS

- _____ Wood Duck
- _____ Garganey*
- _____ Blue-winged Teal
- _____ Cinnamon Teal
- _____ Northern Shoveler
- _____ Gadwall
- _____ Eurasian Wigeon
- _____ American Wigeon
- _____ Mallard
- _____ American Black Duck
- _____ Mottled Duck
- _____ Northern Pintail
- _____ Green-winged Teal
- _____ Canvasback
- _____ Redhead
- _____ Ring-necked Duck
- _____ [Tufted Duck]*
- _____ Greater Scaup
- _____ Lesser Scaup
- _____ King Eider*
- _____ Common Eider*
- _____ Harlequin Duck*
- _____ Surf Scoter
- _____ White-winged Scoter
- _____ Black Scoter
- _____ Long-tailed Duck
- _____ Bufflehead
- _____ Common Goldeneye
- _____ Barrow's Goldeneye
- _____ Hooded Merganser
- _____ Common Merganser
- _____ Red-breasted Merganser
- _____ Ruddy Duck

QUAIL

- _____ Northern Bobwhite
- _____ Scaled Quail

PHEASANTS

- _____ Ring-necked Pheasant

GROUSE

- _____ Ruffed Grouse
- _____ Sharp-tailed Grouse
- _____ Greater Prairie-Chicken
- _____ Lesser Prairie-Chicken

TURKEYS

- _____ Wild Turkey

FLAMINGOS

- _____ American Flamingo*

GREBES

- _____ Pied-billed Grebe
- _____ Horned Grebe
- _____ Red-necked Grebe
- _____ Eared Grebe
- _____ Western Grebe
- _____ Clark's Grebe

PIGEONS, DOVES

- _____ Rock Pigeon
- _____ Band-tailed Pigeon*
- _____ Eurasian Collared-Dove
- _____ Inca Dove
- _____ Common Ground-Dove
- _____ White-winged Dove
- _____ Mourning Dove

CUCKOOS

- _____ Groove-billed Ani
- _____ Greater Roadrunner
- _____ Yellow-billed Cuckoo
- _____ Black-billed Cuckoo

NIGHTJARS

- _____ [Lesser Nighthawk]*
- _____ Common Nighthawk
- _____ Common Poorwill
- _____ Chuck-will's-widow
- _____ Eastern Whip-poor-will

SWIFTS

___ Chimney Swift
 ___ White-throated Swift*

HUMMINGBIRDS

___ Mexican Violetear*
 ___ Rivoli's Hummingbird*
 ___ Ruby-throated Hummingbird
 ___ Black-chinned Hummingbird
 ___ Anna's Hummingbird*
 ___ Costa's Hummingbird*
 ___ Broad-tailed Hummingbird
 ___ Rufous Hummingbird
 ___ Allen's Hummingbird*
 ___ Calliope Hummingbird
 ___ Broad-billed Hummingbird*

RAILS, GALLINULES

___ Yellow Rail
 ___ Black Rail
 ___ King Rail
 ___ Virginia Rail
 ___ Sora
 ___ Purple Gallinule
 ___ Common Gallinule
 ___ American Coot

CRANES

___ Sandhill Crane
 ___ Common Crane*
 ___ Whooping Crane

STILTS, AVOCETS

___ Black-necked Stilt
 ___ American Avocet

PLOVERS

___ Black-bellied Plover
 ___ American Golden-Plover
 ___ Killdeer
 ___ Semipalmated Plover
 ___ Piping Plover
 ___ [Wilson's Plover]*
 ___ Mountain Plover
 ___ Snowy Plover

SANDPIPERS

___ Upland Sandpiper
 ___ Whimbrel
 ___ Long-billed Curlew
 ___ Hudsonian Godwit
 ___ Marbled Godwit
 ___ Ruddy Turnstone
 ___ Red Knot
 ___ Ruff*
 ___ Stilt Sandpiper
 ___ Curlew Sandpiper*
 ___ Red-necked Stint*
 ___ Sanderling
 ___ Dunlin
 ___ Purple Sandpiper*

___ Baird's Sandpiper
 ___ [Little Stint]*
 ___ Least Sandpiper
 ___ White-rumped Sandpiper
 ___ Buff-breasted Sandpiper
 ___ Pectoral Sandpiper
 ___ Semipalmated Sandpiper
 ___ Western Sandpiper
 ___ Short-billed Dowitcher
 ___ Long-billed Dowitcher
 ___ American Woodcock
 ___ Wilson's Snipe
 ___ Spotted Sandpiper
 ___ Solitary Sandpiper
 ___ Lesser Yellowlegs
 ___ Willet
 ___ Spotted Redshank*
 ___ Greater Yellowlegs
 ___ Wilson's Phalarope
 ___ Red-necked Phalarope
 ___ Red Phalarope

JAEGERS

___ Pomarine Jaeger*
 ___ Parasitic Jaeger
 ___ Long-tailed Jaeger*

ALCIDS

___ Long-billed Murrelet*

GULLS

___ Black-legged Kittiwake
 ___ Sabine's Gull
 ___ Bonaparte's Gull
 ___ Black-headed Gull
 ___ Little Gull
 ___ Ross's Gull*
 ___ Laughing Gull
 ___ Franklin's Gull
 ___ Mew Gull
 ___ Ring-billed Gull
 ___ California Gull
 ___ Herring Gull
 ___ Iceland Gull
 ___ Lesser Black-backed Gull
 ___ [Glaucous-winged Gull]*
 ___ Glaucous Gull
 ___ Great Black-backed Gull

TERNS

___ Least Tern
 ___ Gull-billed Tern*
 ___ Caspian Tern
 ___ Black Tern
 ___ Common Tern
 ___ [Arctic Tern]*
 ___ Forster's Tern

SKIMMERS

___ Black Skimmer*

LOONS

___ Red-throated Loon
 ___ Pacific Loon
 ___ Common Loon
 ___ Yellow-billed Loon*

STORKS

___ Wood Stork

FRIGATEBIRDS

___ Magnificent Frigatebird*

BOOBIES

___ Brown Booby*

CORMORANTS

___ Neotropic Cormorant
 ___ Double-crested Cormorant

DARTERS

___ Anhinga

PELICANS

___ American White Pelican
 ___ Brown Pelican

HERONS

___ American Bittern
 ___ Least Bittern
 ___ Great Blue Heron
 ___ Great Egret
 ___ Snowy Egret
 ___ Little Blue Heron
 ___ Tricolored Heron
 ___ Reddish Egret*
 ___ Cattle Egret
 ___ Green Heron
 ___ Black-crowned Night-Heron
 ___ Yellow-crowned Night-Heron

IBISES

___ White Ibis
 ___ Glossy Ibis
 ___ White-faced Ibis
 ___ Roseate Spoonbill

VULTURES

___ Black Vulture
 ___ Turkey Vulture

OSPREY, HAWKS, KITES, EAGLES

___ Osprey
 ___ White-tailed Kite*
 ___ Swallow-tailed Kite
 ___ Golden Eagle
 ___ Northern Harrier
 ___ Sharp-shinned Hawk
 ___ Cooper's Hawk
 ___ Northern Goshawk
 ___ Bald Eagle
 ___ Mississippi Kite
 ___ Harris's Hawk*
 ___ Gray Hawk*

___ Red-shouldered Hawk
 ___ Broad-winged Hawk
 ___ Swainson's Hawk
 ___ Red-tailed Hawk
 ___ Rough-legged Hawk
 ___ Ferruginous Hawk

BARN OWLS

___ Barn Owl

OWLS

___ [Flammulated Owl]*
 ___ Western Screech-Owl*
 ___ Eastern Screech-Owl
 ___ Great Horned Owl
 ___ Snowy Owl
 ___ Burrowing Owl
 ___ Barred Owl
 ___ Long-eared Owl
 ___ Short-eared Owl
 ___ Northern Saw-whet Owl

KINGFISHERS

___ Belted Kingfisher

WOODPECKERS

___ Lewis's Woodpecker
 ___ Red-headed Woodpecker
 ___ Red-bellied Woodpecker
 ___ Williamson's Sapsucker*
 ___ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
 ___ Red-naped Sapsucker
 ___ Amer. Three-toed Woodpecker*
 ___ Downy Woodpecker
 ___ Ladder-backed Woodpecker
 ___ Hairy Woodpecker
 ___ Northern Flicker
 ___ Pileated Woodpecker

FALCONS

___ Crested Caracara*
 ___ American Kestrel
 ___ Merlin
 ___ Gyrfalcon*
 ___ Peregrine Falcon
 ___ Prairie Falcon

FLYCATCHERS

___ Ash-throated Flycatcher
 ___ Great Crested Flycatcher
 ___ Great Kiskadee*
 ___ Piratic Flycatcher*
 ___ Cassin's Kingbird
 ___ Western Kingbird
 ___ Eastern Kingbird
 ___ Scissor-tailed Flycatcher
 ___ [Fork-tailed Flycatcher]*
 ___ Olive-sided Flycatcher
 ___ Western Wood-Pewee
 ___ Eastern Wood-Pewee
 ___ Yellow-bellied Flycatcher

___ Acadian Flycatcher
 ___ Alder Flycatcher
 ___ Willow Flycatcher
 ___ Least Flycatcher
 ___ Hammond's Flycatcher
 ___ Gray Flycatcher*
 ___ Dusky Flycatcher
 ___ Cordilleran Flycatcher
 ___ [Black Phoebe]*
 ___ Eastern Phoebe
 ___ Say's Phoebe
 ___ Vermilion Flycatcher

SHRIKES

___ Loggerhead Shrike
 ___ Northern Shrike

VIREOS

___ Black-capped Vireo*
 ___ White-eyed Vireo
 ___ Bell's Vireo
 ___ Gray Vireo*
 ___ Yellow-throated Vireo
 ___ Cassin's Vireo*
 ___ Blue-headed Vireo
 ___ Plumbeous Vireo*
 ___ Philadelphia Vireo
 ___ Warbling Vireo
 ___ Red-eyed Vireo

JAYS, MAGPIES, CROWS

___ Pinyon Jay
 ___ Steller's Jay
 ___ Blue Jay
 ___ Woodhouse's Scrub-Jay
 ___ Mexican Jay*
 ___ Clark's Nutcracker
 ___ Black-billed Magpie
 ___ American Crow
 ___ Fish Crow
 ___ Chihuahuan Raven
 ___ Common Raven

LARKS

___ Horned Lark

SWALLOWS

___ Bank Swallow
 ___ Tree Swallow
 ___ Violet-green Swallow
 ___ N. Rough-winged Swallow
 ___ Purple Martin
 ___ Barn Swallow
 ___ Cliff Swallow
 ___ Cave Swallow

CHICKADEES, TITMICE

___ Carolina Chickadee
 ___ Black-capped Chickadee
 ___ Mountain Chickadee

___ [Juniper Titmouse]*
 ___ Tufted Titmouse

BUSHTITS

___ Bushtit

NUTHATCHES

___ Red-breasted Nuthatch
 ___ White-breasted Nuthatch
 ___ Pygmy Nuthatch
 ___ Brown-headed Nuthatch*

CREEPERS

___ Brown Creeper

WRENS

___ Rock Wren
 ___ Canyon Wren*
 ___ House Wren
 ___ Pacific Wren*
 ___ Winter Wren
 ___ Sedge Wren
 ___ Marsh Wren
 ___ Carolina Wren
 ___ Bewick's Wren

GNATCATCHERS

___ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

KINGLETS

___ Golden-crowned Kinglet
 ___ Ruby-crowned Kinglet

OLD WORLD FLYCATCHERS

___ [Northern Wheatear]*

THRUSHES

___ Eastern Bluebird
 ___ Western Bluebird*
 ___ Mountain Bluebird
 ___ Townsend's Solitaire
 ___ Veery
 ___ Gray-cheeked Thrush
 ___ Swainson's Thrush
 ___ Hermit Thrush
 ___ Wood Thrush
 ___ American Robin
 ___ Varied Thrush

THRASHERS

___ Gray Catbird
 ___ Curve-billed Thrasher
 ___ Brown Thrasher
 ___ Sage Thrasher
 ___ Northern Mockingbird

STARLINGS

___ European Starling